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砂河深紅

クライマックス
新井サチ
兄弟やめますか?
今野さとみ
[偏食家のかわいい悪魔]

登場カラー
円陣閻丸
[Voice or Noise]
[兄弟やめますか?]

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[兄弟やめますか?]

DEADLOCK
英田サキ & 高階 佑
[新連載第2回]

キャラ文庫の大人気シリーズをコミカライズ!!
冤罪で入った刑務所で、謀めいた同房者と顔合わせして?

前巻・新巻・カラー
小嶋ララ子
[ラブレターのお葬式]
シリーズおまき
平喜多ゆや
[ほんとにかわいい!]

コミックス第2巻、2/25発売!!
神楽木智
二宮悦巳
[炎国は僕を好きすぎる]
[辛口食堂]
陳々原絵里依
ちゅん子
お買います、どこまでも
吉原理恵子 & 木田みちる
長門サイ
秋葉東子
[幻想の妖術]
[幸運の運命]
[秘密が花開く]

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応募者全員サービス

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英田サキ &
高階 佑

SAKI AIDA & YUJI TARASHINA

キャラ文庫の大人・フリーで、希望のまが化
話題沸騰の新連載「DEADLOCK」より、表紙
イラストを図書カードにしてお届けします▼ 作品
の雰囲気伝わってくる、素敵なお品1枚だよ
ぜひこの機会にゲットしてね!

応募のきまりは **P.144** を見てね!

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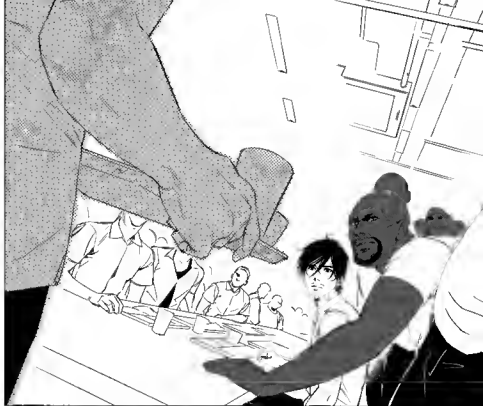
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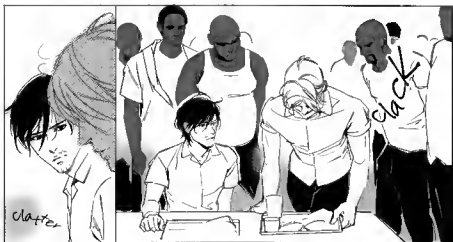
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...HEY,
BURNFORD.

DON'T
THINK YOU'RE
ALL HIGH AND
MIGHTY JUST
'CAUSE CHACKER
RESPECTS
YOU A LI'.



A STRONG-
WILLED
WOMAN
SUITS ME
THE BEST.

LET'S
HAVE A
DATE NEXT
TIME, LI'!
BEAUTY...

I'LL BE
SURE TO
LOVE YOU
DEARLY.



Shuffle



YOU'VE AN
EXTREMELY
NASTY MAN
WITH HIS EYES
ON YOU.

WOW--



...

DON'T
LAUGH! I'M
NOT JOKING
HERE.

PFF?
BLACK
SOLDIER?
THAT SOUNDS
SO LAME.

THE ONES
WHO CONTROL
THE PRISON ARE
THESE GANGS
OF INMATES.

HE WAS
CONVICTED OF
KILLING FOUR
PEOPLE WITH A
MACHINE GUN AND
SENTENCED TO
150 YEARS IN
PRISON.

THAT'S
BAD BOB. HE'S
THE HEAD OF THE
BLACK SOLDIER,
YOU KNOW.

YULITO,
I'M NOT
TRYING TO
SCARE
YOU,

THERE ARE
THREE MAIN
GANGS IN HERE.
THE BLACKS'
BLACK SOLDIER
IS ONE OF
THEM.

THE OTHER
TWO ARE THE
HISPANICS' ROCO
EMMANUEL...

...BUT IF
YOU WANT
TO LEAVE THIS
PLACE ALIVE,
YOU MUSTN'T
ANGER THOSE
GUYS.

...AND THE
WHITES' ABL.



...HE'S
YOUR NEW
CELLMATE.

DICK,



...ALL
RIGHT, I
UNDERSTAND,
MICKEY.

I'LL BUY
THAT NASA
CHASTITY BELT
FROM THE
KIOSK NOW,
OKAY?

YEAH, GO
GET IT!



I'M YULITO
LENNIX.

...

NICE
TO MEET
YOU.



clatter



...THE
NAME'S DICK
BURNFORD.





IT'S
NOTHING
MAJOR...




TWENTY-
ONE SOON.

BUT
UNFORTUNATELY,
HE NABBED US
AND WE ENDED UP
FIGHTING. MY FRIEND
ACCIDENTALLY
SLASHED THAT
GEEZER.

THERE'S
THIS OLD
GEEZER WHO
OPENED A PUB
ON HIS OWN. SO
MY FRIENDS AND I
WENT THERE TO
STEAL SOME
ALCOHOL.

WHAT
DID YOU DO
TO GET IN
HERE?

YOU LOOK
LIKE YOU'RE
STILL SUCKING
YOUR MAMA'S
TEATS.



It was
supposed
to be just
a simple rob-
bery, but he
wound up as
an accomplice
in an assault
case?

Wow...

YOU'RE
SO DAMN
UNLUCKY...

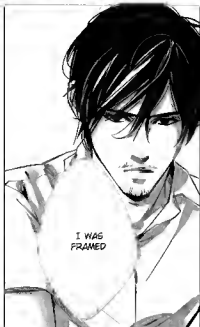
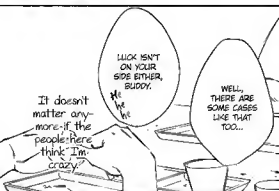


SINCE THE
EXTERNAL
BRAIN INJURY
WAS QUITE
SERIOUS, I WAS
SENTENCED TO
TWO YEARS
IN PRISON.

EVEN
THOUGH
ONLY HIS ARM
GOT WOUNDED,
THAT GEEZER WAS
SO SHOCKED, THAT
HE SLIPPED AND
FELL ON HIS
HEAD.



YUUTO, HOW
LONG IS YOUR
SENTENCE?





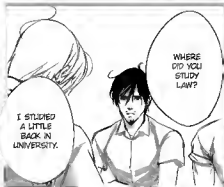
NAH...

NATHAN'S
JUST WORKING
AS A VOLUNTEER
AT THE LAW
LIBRARY.



THAT
BLACK
MAN JUST
NOW CALLED
NATHAN A
LAWYER.

WAS
THAT YOUR
OCCUPATION
OUTSIDE?



WHERE
DID YOU
STUDY
LAW?

I STUDIED
A LITTLE
BACK IN
UNIVERSITY.



GUESS, I'M
STILL LEARNING
ABOUT CONVICTS,
THIS TIME WHILE
BEING IN THEIR
SHOES.

MY MAJOR WAS
CRIMINOLOGY.



OVER
THERE, HE'S
IN CHARGE
OF HANDLING
THINGS LIKE FILING
INMATES' HUMAN
RIGHTS VIOLATION
COMPLAINTS
TO THE STATE'S
DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS.

HE ALSO
RESEARCHED
ON LAW AND
PRECEDENTS TO
HELP CONVICTS
APPLY FOR
COMMITMENT.

JUST
RECENTLY,
USING A LOOP-
HOLE IN THE LAW
HE'D FOUND, HE
HELPED A CONVICT
REDUCE HIS LEGAL
PENALTY BY ABOUT
TEN YEARS.

HE'S
WAY MORE
RELIABLE THAN
LAWYERS.





It's
them!

Wha-?!

THUD

UGH!

GET HIM!

Even for
me, four
against one is—

Shit!

KICK

KICK





cough





SO WE
THOUGHT
SOMETHING
MUST HAVE
HAPPENED AND
TOLD MATTHEW
TO GO BACK
FIRST.

WE FOUND
OUT YOU WERE
MISSING,

AND SAW
THOSE GUYS
FROM BLACK
SOLDIER RUSH-
ING OUT OF
THE TOILET.

Shirt.

My body
feels like
a train
wreck.

'CAUSE
SINCE HE'S IN
FOR A MINOR
CRIME, IT'D BE
A PITY FOR HIM
TO GET ROPED
INTO SHIT LIKE
THIS, RIGHT?

YEAH.

...WHERE'S
MATTHEW?

TOO MANY
PEOPLE WERE
STAMPEDING
THERE, SO HE
WAS BRUTALLY
STUMPLED ON.

HE GOT
PUSHED
AND FELL.

HEY, WHAT
HAPPENED TO
THE NEW GUY?

YOU GUYS
SHOULD GO
AHEAD TOO
THERE'S ONLY
TWO MINUTES
LEFT 'TIL
ROLL-CALL.

RIGHT,
JUST GO
NOW.

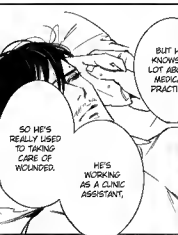






I STILL
HAVE STUFF
TO ATTEND
TO AT THE
CLINIC.

CHOKER'S
CONDITION
DOESN'T
SEEM GOOD
AT ALL.



BUT HE
KNOWS A
LOT ABOUT
MEDICAL
PRACTICE.

SO HE'S
REALLY USED
TO TAKING
CARE OF
WOUNDED.

HE'S
WORKING
AS A CLINIC
ASSISTANT,



...IS DICK
A DOCTOR?

NOPE.



YUUTO, IF
YOU'RE NOT
FEELING WELL,
BETTER LET THE
GUARDS KNOW
ABOUT IT.

BUT, EVEN
IF YOU APPLY
TO THE CLINIC
NOW, YOU'D
STILL HAVE
TO WAIT

FOR
THEM TO
PROCESS THE
APPLICATION.
EARLIEST
WOULD BE
TOMORROW.



YULITO!
HOW ARE
YOU?!

THANKS,
NATHAN.

...NO NEED.
I DON'T WANT
TO APPLY
FOR IT.



YEAH.

WAS IT
THOSE BLACK
GUYS FROM
BACK AT THE
CANTEEN?

THIS
LOOKS
BAD...



SURE.

I WANT TO
REST A BIT,
MIND GOING
BACK?

THANK
YOU, GUYS.

JUST
LIE HERE
AND RELAX.
DICK WILL BE
BACK BEFORE
THE LAST
ROLL-CALL.



YOU'RE
LUCKY IT
HAPPENED
RIGHT
BEFORE
ROLL-CALL.

THEY
DIDN'T HAVE
MUCH TIME
EITHER, SO
THEY LET YOU
OFF EASY.

JUST
BECAUSE OF
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT...

part

part

Fuck!

Hang in
there!

Til today,
no matter how
dangerous the
situation was,
I managed to
pull through
just fine.

Being
gang banged,
I can't even
get any medical
assistance...

Just
breathing
makes me feel
like my body
has been run
over by a
train.



Don't be dis-
heartened

I'm far
away from
New York.
I made the
decision to be
in Schelger
Prison myself.

It's
for my job,
social status
and future...

Having lost
everything,

I came
here clinging
to the last ray
of hope given
to me...



HOW
ARE YOU
FEELING?

LOOKING
WELL, LENNIX.

Three weeks ago,
NYPD Headquarters,
lock-up.





ONCE
YOU'VE
LOCATED HIM,
YOU'LL BE
IMMEDIATELY
RELEASED.

WE HOPE
YOU'LL HELP
US FIND A
MAN WHO'S
CURRENTLY
BURIED DEEP
IN PRISON.

lean
..SO, I
HAVE A
PROPOSITION.



One of
the many
possibilities
was even that
the criminals
were in it
for kicks.

It wasn't
clear whether
the criminals
were religious
terrorists or
extreme right-
wing activists.

No warning
letters or any
info on bombing
location, not
even an attack
pattern.

"Leader of
the Silent
Terrorist."

WE AP-
PREHENDED
A WHITE MALE
CARRYING
EXPLOSIVES.

TWO MONTHS
AGO, IN A SU-
PERMARKET IN
CONNECTICUT,

HENCE, WE
NEVER GOT
TO UNDER-
STAND THE
ORGANISA-
TION'S
WORKING.

BUT HE
REFUSED TO
ACCEPT OUR
PLEA AGREEMENT
AND KEPT SILENT
ABOUT EVERY-
THING ELSE.

ACCORDING TO
HIS STATEMENT,
HE WAS A PART
OF SOME RADICAL
CLUB GROUP.

WE SUS-
PECTED HE
WAS SOMEHOW
RELATED TO
THIS STRING OF
BOMBINGS

FINALLY,
HE SPILLED
THE BEANS

SO I PUT
HIM INTO
A WITNESS
PROTECTION
PROGRAM

I REALISED THAT
HE WAS ODDLY
TERRIFIED OF THAT
ORGANISATION.

... BUT IT
DIDN'T GO
THE WAY WE
PLANNED.

TO INVESTIGATE
MORE THOROUGHLY,
WE WANTED TO SEND
HIM BACK TO THE
HEADQUARTERS
IN WASHINGTON.

... WHY?

"THE
ORGANISA-
TION'S POWER
IS ABSOLUTE.
EVERY TRAITOR
WILL BE KILLED
REBARD-
LESS"

"WE'VE BEEN
JUST FLOODING
AROUND WITH ALL
THOSE ATTACKS
TIL TODAY BUT
SOON THERE'LL
BE LARGE-SCALE
ATTACKS"

"EVERY
SINGLE
TERRORIST
ATTACK WAS
PLANNED
SOLELY BY
OUR LEADER
WHILE WE
CARRIED
THEM OUT"



BUT ON THE WAY TO THE HOSPITAL, THE MAN WAS STILL CONSCIOUS AND WITH HIS LAST WORDS, HE LEFT US SOME INTERESTING INFORMATION.

THE ASSAILANT MANAGED TO ESCAPE DESPITE TIGHT POLICE SECURITY. NEVER TO BE FOUND.

THE POLICE FOUND THE MURDER WEAPON, A KNIFE, ON THE NEARBY BUILDING'S ROOF.

...HE DIED.

THE MINUTE HE LEFT DETENTION ROOM, HE WAS ATTACKED BY AN UNKNOWN ASSAILANT.

ACCORDING TO HIM, THIS MAN'S BEEN SECRETLY GIVING ORDERS TO THE MEMBERS FROM SOME PRISON

OF COURSE, THAT'S NOT HIS REAL NAME.

CORVUS...

THE NAME OF THE GROUP'S LEADER IS

...and has a huge burn scar on his back.

In the past, he went through professional army training

Corvus, a white man roughly about thirty, is a murderer.

SEEMS LIKE CORVUS HAS BEEN HIDING IN CALIFORNIA STATE PRISON, SCHELGER

THAT'S RIGHT

SO, YOU WANT ME TO DIG HIM UP?

HENCE,
SOME OF US
STARTED TO
SUSPECT THE
INFO THAT MAN
HAD GIVEN US
WAS FALSE.

BUT,
AT LEAST
SOME PART
OF IT WAS
SOMEWHAT
TRUE

SO,
OTHERS
SUGGESTED
TO BROADEN
THE CRITERIA
TO CATCH ALL
APPLICABLE
PARTIES AT
ONCE...

THOUGH,
EVEN IF WE
INTERROGA-
TED THEM, WE
WOULDN'T GET
ANY CONFES-
SION EITHER

THUS,

SOMEONE
SUGGESTED
WE SEND AN
UNDERCOVER
AGENT TO
INFILTRATE AND
INVESTIGATE
CORVUS' INNER
CIRCLE ..

THERE'S
GOING TO BE THE
WORLD SUMMIT
THIS COMING FALL
WITH PARTICIPANTS
FROM VARIOUS
COUNTRIES

IF HE'S
PLANNING A
TERRORIST
ATTACK,
THEN..

Due to the
severity of the
situation, the FBI
sent investigation
agents to Schel-
ger prison
beforehand

.. BUT,

They managed
to dig out and
investigated the
inmates personal
data in detail.

WE COULDN'T
FIND A SUSPECT
THAT MATCHED
ALL THE
CRITERIA.

"Aviary
experience

and "burn
scar"



But, if
it's a criminal
like me, even
if I did fail, it
wouldn't hurt
them at all.

I see...

Sending a FBI agent
into prison for the sake of
searching for this "Corvus"
person, who may not even
be real, would be too risky.



DO YOU
ACCEPT THIS
PROPOSITION?

...SO
HOW
ABOUT
IT?

YES

I'm just a
convenient
pawn to be
thrown away
when I've
served my
purpose.

Killing two
birds with
one stone...



Even if I
don't manage
to find Corvus,
it won't prolong
my sentence



I've never
dreamt that
a chance like
this would fall
into my hand...



YOU
MAY ONLY
CONTACT ME
THROUGH THIS
NUMBER ONCE
YOU'VE GOTTEN
SOLID INFO
ON CORVUS.

SINCE
YOU'RE
GOING IN AS
A REGULAR
CONVICT.

...OF
COURSE,
YOU WON'T
GET ANY
HELP FROM
US.



JUST
MEMORISE
ALL THE FACES,
NAMES, CELL
NUMBERS
NOW

YOU
CAN ONLY
READ THESE
DOCUMENTS
HERE.



THIS
FILE HAS

ALL THE
SUSPECTS
WHO MATCHED
THE CRITERIA.

THERE
ARE TWELVE
OF THEM.



flip



...



...CROW

IN LATIN,
CORVUS
MEANS...

This man is
secretly
hiding
in prison.
Just like a
crow, blending
himself with
the darkness.



Until the
day I find
Corvus.

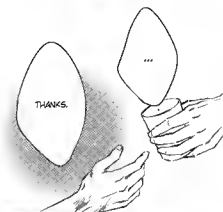


I won't
have any
freedom
at all.

Y/Yadaaagac:



SLEEP ON
THE BOTTOM
BUNK.
WITH
YOUR BODY
ALL BATTERED
UP LIKE THAT,
IT'S TOO MUCH
FOR YOU TO
CLIMB ON
TOP.



THANKS.

...



I GRAB-
BED SOME
PAINKILLERS
FROM THE
INFIRMARY.



...YOU MUSTN'T
SPILL THE BEANS
ON BO'S LACKEYS
TO THE GUARDS.



WE
HAVE OUR
OWN RULES
AMONG US,
CONVICTS, TOO,
YOU BETTER
REMEM-
BER IT.

EVEN IF
SOMEONE
GOT STABBED,
HE WOULDN'T
CONFESS
WHO DID IT.

NOT
JUST THAT,
GUARDS
ARE EVERY
CONVICT'S
ENEMY.

...THEY'LL
SEEK
REVENGE?



WHY,
YOU ASK?

YOU'VE ONLY
BEEN HERE FOR
A DAY AND YOU'RE
ALREADY EXPERI-
ENCING SHIT LIKE
THIS. I DON'T KNOW
WHAT THE FUCK
YOU'RE THINKING
AT ALL.



HE'S THE
LEADER
OF ASIAN
CONVICTS
HERE.

...IN
BLOCK A
THERE'S A
CHINESE MAN
CALLED
FEI.

GO
GREET HIM
TOMORROW
AND JOIN
THE GROUP.

...WHY?





HOW ARE
YOU GOING
TO PROTECT
YOURSELF
IN SUCH
CONDITION?

NO
MATTER HOW
POISONOUS THE
WORDS COMING
OUT OF YOUR
MOUTH ARE...



OF BEING
UNABLE TO
RELY ON YOUR
BODY'S OWN
STRENGTH?

...TO RAPE YOU
RIGHT HERE,
RIGHT NOW?
TO LET YOU
EXPERIENCE
THE REALITY

DO YOU
WANT ME...



IF YOU'RE
MINE, NOBODY'S
GOING TO COME
AFTER YOU
ANYMORE.

GIVE ME
YOUR BODY AND
I'LL GUARANTEE
YOUR SAFETY.

JUST
THINK OF IT
AS A TRADE
OFF...SO,
WHAT DO
YOU SAY?



DICK,
WHAT ARE
YOU—

IF YOU
HATE BB,
WHY DON'T
YOU BE MINE
INSTEAD?



EVEN IF
I'M RAPED,
I'LL NEVER
BE YOUR
WOMAN!

FUCK
OFF!!

PUSH

I WOULD
NEVER RELY
ON OTHERS
FOR PRO-
TECTION!

STOP
INSULTING
ME!!



...ISN'T
THAT WHY
YOU'RE KEEPING
THAT STACHE THAT
DOESN'T SUIT
YOU AT ALL?

IT'S
CERTAINLY
OBVIOUS
YOU'RE THE
TYPE TO BE
HUNTED IN A
PLACE LIKE
THIS.

YOU'RE
STILL VERY
IGNORANT
OF THIS
SHITHOLE.

IF YOU KEEP
THAT WASTFUL
THINKING, YOU'LL
BE DEAD MEAT
IN NO TIME.

What's Yuuto going to do
after experiencing the
prisoners' own rules
first-hand?

I HAVE
NO INTENTION
OF WIPING
A SHITHEAD
NEWBIE'S
ASS.

I'M
DIFFERENT
FROM KIND
NATHAN OR
MICKEY...